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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 09 February 2005 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☐ entered.

b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☒ entered in part. See explanation below.

The Amendment to the Specification has been entered. The Amendment to the Claims has not been entered because Claim 5 does not correspond to the allowed claim as amended in the Notice of Allowance filed on 18 November 2004.

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